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In re patent application of

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For: IMPROVEMENT IN OR RELATING TO CIRCUIT BOARD  
HAVING SOLDER BUMPS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully request that the following amendment be entered into the application:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 9, line 27, delete "Fig. 11 is an  
illustration" and insert --Figs. 11A and 11B are  
illustrations--.

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REMARKS

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the above amendments prior to examination of the instant application. The amendments are made to correct clerical and grammatical errors and are not deemed to change the scope of the invention.

Respectfully submitted,

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